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**Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters of the Preparatory Committee**

# Accreditation of non-governmental organizations and other major groups to the Preparatory Process and the Third United Nations World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction

## Note by the secretariat

1. In its resolution 68/211, the General Assembly recognized the importance of the contributions and participation of all relevant stakeholders, including major groups, non-governmental organizations, scientific institutions and the private sector at the Third United Nations World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction and its preparatory process. The Assembly further decided that non-governmental organizations and other major groups whose work is relevant to the subject of the Conference that are not currently accredited by the Economic and Social Council as non-governmental organizations, as well as those accredited to the Third International Conference on Small Island Developing States, the World Summit on Sustainable Development, the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States, the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, the World Conference on Disaster Reduction, the four sessions of the Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction and regional platforms and ministerial meetings on disaster risk reduction, may submit applications to participate as observers in the Conference, as well as its preparatory meetings, subject to the approval of the Preparatory Committee.

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2. The Preparatory Committee adopted accreditation criteria and procedures in the document entitled "Suggested arrangements for accreditation and participation in the preparatory process and in the World Conference on Disaster Reduction of relevant non-governmental organizations and other major groups" (A/CONF.224/PC(I)/INF.2).

3. Those non-governmental organizations and other major groups currently not falling under any of the adopted accreditation categories, but wishing to attend and contribute to the Conference and its preparatory process, may apply to the Conference secretariat for accreditation by providing the required information mentioned in document A/CONF.224/PC(I)/INF.2. Such accreditation will be limited solely to the Third United Nations World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction process.

4. It is requested that the Conference secretariat, with support from the United Nations Non-governmental Liaison Service and other relevant bodies, as appropriate, review the relevance of the work of the applicants on the basis of their background and involvement in sustainable development issues, particularly in the areas of disaster risk reduction. If the evaluation shows, on the basis of the information provided, that the applicant organization is competent and its activities are relevant to the work of the Conference, the Conference secretariat recommends to the Preparatory Committee its endorsement of the accreditation of those non-governmental organizations and other major groups. It is also requested that the Conference secretariat submit its recommendations to the Preparatory Committee two weeks before the start of the third session of the Preparatory Committee. A non-governmental or other major group organization that has been granted accreditation to attend the Preparatory Committee may register its representatives to attend all of its future sessions and the Conference itself.

5. The Conference secretariat has received and evaluated completed application packages that it received by 30 November 2014. The list of non-governmental organizations and other major groups recommended by the Conference secretariat is contained in annex I. Annex II contains the list of those submissions that are not recommended by the secretariat, either because (a) they are not organizations that meet the criteria established by General Assembly resolution 68/211; or (b) they are not organizations established in accordance with the provisions contained in part VII of ECOSOC resolution 1996/31 based on the information provided.

# Annex I

## Consolidated list of non-governmental organizations and other major groups recommended for special accreditation to the Preparatory Process and the Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction

Total number of non-governmental organizations and major groups: 46[1]

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[1] The present list excludes organizations accredited with the Economic and Social Council.

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# Annex II

## Consolidated list of non-governmental organizations and other major groups not recommended for special accreditation to the Preparatory Process and the Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction

Bhawani Public Development Center

Center for Human Development and Management

Green Cross Bangladesh

Human Development and Natural Environment Conservation Center

Kapo Seba Sangha

Laboratory Research of Dialogue between Civilizations and Globalization, Batna University

Observatoire pour la Défense des Droits des Femmes et des Enfants

Operation Mobilization Nepal

Oppressed Dalit Women Connection Forum

Organization of Emerging African States

Society for African Safety and Development

Society Improvement Program

Sustainable Agriculture and Environment

Tabeer Welfare Society

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